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In Re Application of:

WOLFFE et al.

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Title: DATABASES OF REGULATORY  
SEQUENCES; METHODS OF MAKING AND  
USING SAME

Examiner: S. Zhou

Group Art Unit: 1631

Confirmation No.: 1541

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2004,  
please find the following documents:

- Response to Communication (3 pages)
- Return receipt postcard.

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Independent Claims	23	- 23	0	x \$86.00	\$0
Multiple dependent claims not previously presented, add \$290.00					\$0
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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION**

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Communication mailed January 15, 2004, with a shortened statutory period of one month for response. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.